

| ZONE 1 MINI-MATRIX FOR CERTIFIED LEVEL 1, 2 & 3 SCULLERS/PAIR ROWERS ROWING WITHOUT A SAFETY LAUNCH | | |
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| TRRA Sculling / Pair Certification Overview | Enhanced classification system for scullers and pair athletes who intend to row without the presence of a safety launch (i.e. Log-Book Sculling/Rowing) | Classification System |
| Water flow | 29.9 CFS* or below *Note – Level 1 rowers may only row in Zone 1, with or without a safety launch | Flow Data |
| Permissible hours | Level 1 – daylight hours between sunrise and sunset per the times specified Level 2 - daylight hours between sunrise and sunset per the times specified unless using the buddy system Level 3 – no restriction for 1x, 2x/2-; daylight hours only between sunrise and sunset per the times specified for 4x | Daylight Data |
| Permissible range | Level 1 – limited to “island laps” ; spin area above 40th Street Bridge to the power lines ONLY; must row with a buddy boat at all times Level 2 – limited to the 62nd Street Bridge to Lock Wall 1 Marina. Range can be extended to full length between Sharpsburg and the Point if rowing with a buddy boat Level 3 – entire Pittsburgh/Emsworth Pool (area of water between Emsworth Lock & Dam on Ohio River, Highland Park Lock & Dam on Allegheny River and Braddock Lock & Dam on Monongahela River) | Course Flyover |
| Water temperature | Level 1 – 65.0 degrees or higher Level 2 – 60.0 degrees or higher Level 3 – May row if 50.0 or higher but PFD required if below 60.0 degrees | Water Temperature |
| Shell type | 1x: certified rowers 2x/2-: certified rowers; bow seat must be crew leader 4x: certified rowers; bow seat must be 4x crew leader and verify equipment availability | Crew Leader Application |
| PFD Requirements | ALL scullers/pair rowers of any level who opted out of “right and re-enter” portion of certification process must wear PFD at all times Level 1 – not required but recommended Level 2 – not required but recommended Level 3 – required if water temperature is below 60.0 degrees | |
| Communication Requirement | Whistle is REQUIRED in each shell and protected cell phone is strongly recommended for each shell | |